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NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE

In New York, prices were unchanged on all sizes. Trade sentiment was mixed, usually steady to fully steady. Demand was light to moderate, at times fairly good following the holiday. Supplies were sufficient to instances tight for current needs. Breaking stock offerings were tight to about sufficient for an irregular demand. Light type hens were barely adequate to sufficient for a moderate demand. Slaughter schedules were reduced due to the Thanksgiving Day holiday.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL All prices unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady. Cartoned egg sales and loose egg trading was quiet. Supplies were balanced to adequate. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged. Trading and demand was quiet. Floor stocks tight to just adequate. Schedules full-time for next week. Trade sentiment steady.

PRICES DELIVERED TO WAREHOUSE:

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	141-150	144-147
LARGE	140-149	142-145
MEDIUM	126-135	128-131

PRICES DELIVERED TO STORE DOOR:

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	148-156	149-151
LARGE	146-154	147-149
MEDIUM	132-140	133-135

IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN EGGS

PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CENTS PER DOZEN.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
LARGE	125-134	129
MEDIUM	113-117	115
SMALL	61-67	

MIDWEST AREA: IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, OH, NE, ND, SD, WI, WV, western NY, and western PA

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices were unchanged but were trending slightly higher for next week. Trade sentiment was steady to firm. Retail demand was moderate to good. Food service movement was light to moderate. Supplies were balanced to tight. Central States breaking stock prices were unchanged. Trading and demand quiet. Floor stocks tight to about adequate. Schedules fulltime for next week. Trade sentiment steady.

Prices delivered to warehouse:

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	151.5-160	153-156
LARGE	149.5-158	151-154
MEDIUM	132.5-141	134-137

South Central Area: AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, OK, & TX

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged, but asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending higher. Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady. Demand was mostly moderate. Supplies were closely balanced for buyer and seller requirements. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were limited for a fair to fairly good demand. Light type hens offerings were barely adequate to adequate for reduced processing schedules.

Prices delivered to warehouse:

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	148-164	150-153
LARGE	142-156	148-151
MEDIUM	127-140	132-134

NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, eastern NJ, eastern NY, eastern PA, RI, northern VA, and VT

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged, however asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending higher on all weights. Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady. Demand was moderate to at times good. Supplies were balanced to tight. Eastern region breaking stock offerings were limited and noted as barely adequate for the fair to fairly good demand. Light type hens were barely sufficient to adequate for the at least moderate demand. Slaughter schedules were reduced due to the Thanksgiving Day holiday.

Prices delivered to warehouse:

	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	127.25-158	152-155
LARGE	123.25-156	150-153
MEDIUM	112.25-138	131-135

Southeast Area: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, eastern TN, and southern VA

NEW YORK Prices were unchanged on all sizes when compared to Wednesday's values. Trade sentiment was at least steady. Demand was light to mostly moderate. Supplies were barely adequate to about adequate for current trade needs.

Prices delivered to store door.

	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	159-163
LARGE	157-161
MEDIUM	141-145

WESTERN Prices were unchanged with asking prices for next week 3 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large, and the balance of sizes 2 cents higher. Trade sentiment was steady. Offerings were usually adequate with demand light to good.

CALIFORNIA Benchmark prices were unchanged with asking prices for next week 3 cents higher for jumbo, extra large, and large and 2 cents higher for the balance of sizes. Trade sentiment was steady. Offerings were usually adequate with demand in a full range of quiet to good. Small benchmark price \$1.51. Prices to retailers were sharply higher when compared to last week's reported prices.

CALIFORNIA: Shell egg marketer's benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons. Cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

	RANGE
JUMBO	190
EXTRA LARGE	193
LARGE	187
MEDIUM	171

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA: Prices to retailers, sales to volume buyers, USDA Grade AA and Grade AA, white eggs in cartons, Delivered store door, cents per dozen.

	RANGE
JUMBO	174-188
EXTRA LARGE	176-181
LARGE	174-177
MEDIUM	158-161

BREAKING STOCK

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

CENTRAL REGION Prices were unchanged. Trading and demand were quiet. Floor stocks tight to just adequate. Schedules full-time for next week. Trade sentiment was steady.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	99-102	99-101
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	81-89	81-84
ENTRAL STATES AREA: AR, CO, IA, IL IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, WI		

EASTERN REGION Prices were unchanged when compared to early week trading. The undertone was usually steady. Demand was irregular and ranged from fair to moderately good. Offerings continue to be limited and only barely adequate for current trade needs. Total cases broken under federal inspection from January through the week ending 17-Nov-2007 were 1% less than last year. In the Eastern regions total cases broken during the week of 17-Nov-2007 were 7% less than the previous week, and 2% lower than a year ago.

	RANGE	MOSTLY
BREAKING STOCK	97-100	TFEWR
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	81-89	82-85
EASTERN STATES AREA: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY, ME, MD, MA, MS, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, WV		

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

W/E 17-Nov-2007	(lbs. in thousands)	(Excludes Ingredients)				
Total	Cases	Liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Dried	Ined
Production	Broken	Whole	Whites	Yolk		
CW	1,216,347	30,987	10,660	5,582	2,155	4,189
PW	1,250,055	33,347	9,950	5,704	2,284	4,246
LY	1,249,612	32,289	10,430	5,403	1,949	3,992
% PW	-3%	-7%	7%	-2%	-6%	-1
% LY	-3%	-4%	2%	3%	11%	5%
2007	58,637,321	1,464,561	533,794	286,090	114,919	199,394
2006	59,491,840	1,473,481	548,473	290,144	126,143	200,107
% YTD	-1%	-1%	-3%	-1%	-9%	0%
				CW	PW	LY
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included)				42.27	42.60	41.70
Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded)				38.83	39.20	38.51

IN LINE PRODUCTION (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material.)

	Cases Broken		Liquid Whole	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
CURRENT WEEK	592,076	48.7%	17,187	55.5%
PREVIOUS WEEK	599,536	48.0%	17,793	53.4%
LAST YEAR	607,321	48.6%	17,446	54.0%

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized whites were too few to report with pasteurized salt yolk reported from 1.14 to 1.16 FOB. Trade sentiment continued firm for whole egg and yolk and steady for whites. Demand was good to very good for whole egg and yolk and light for whole egg. Offerings were tight to short of current needs for whole egg and yolk with whites adequate to instances fully adequate. Breaking stock prices were unchanged when compared to last week's reported prices.

Prices paid cents per lb., FOB Plant to 10:00 AM non-pasteurized trucklot. For delivery within 14 days.

CLASS	LOADS	RANGE	WTD. AVG.	% FROM LW
WHOLE		TFEWR		
WHITES	15	48-58.5	51.93	.06
YOLKS		TFEWR		

FROZEN

CENTRAL REGION Frozen whole egg prices ranged unchanged to 2 cents higher with whites unchanged. Sugared yolk ranged unchanged to 4 cents higher with salted yolk up 1 to 3 cents. Trade sentiment was mostly steady for whites with the balance of products continuing firm. Demand was fair for whites and good to instances very good for the balance of frozen products. Many observers were surprised by the current stable demand for salted yolk. Offerings were adequate for whites with offerings on the balance of products tight to short of immediate needs. Breaking stock prices were unchanged when compared to last week's reported prices.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

	RANGE	MOSTLY
WHOLE	103-109	103-107
WHITES	74-78	76-78
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	127-134	127-130
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	122-125	

EASTERN REGION Mostly prices were unchanged whole and whites, but higher on yolks when compared to a week earlier. Demand was fair to mostly good. Supplies were very limited on yolks, barely adequate on whole, and usually sufficient on whites. Holiday breaking schedules were less than normal, but next week schedules are planned to be normal. Undertone was fully steady to firm. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 17-Nov-2007 were 9% less than the previous week and 1% lower than last year.

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

	RANGE	MOSTLY	LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE
WHOLE	99-109	102-107	108-112
BLENDS (/)	TFEWR		
WHITES	72-79	74-76	79-88
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	124-135	128-132	131-139
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	119-127	122-127	125-136

(/) - Whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Frozen whole egg and white prices were unchanged with sugared and salted yolk prices 1 cent higher. Trade sentiment was steady for whites and fully steady to firm on the balance of products. Supplies were tight while demand was good to instances very good.

Wholesale selling prices, FOB shipping point (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

	RANGE	LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE
WHOLE	108-112	
WHITES	81-84	
SGRD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	131-134	
SLTD YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	126-129	

NATIONAL DRIED Prices were irregular on whole, unchanged to higher on yolks, unchanged on albumen, and higher on blends when compared to a week earlier. Demand was good, but new sales were limited as offerings were often short of trade needs. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 17-Nov-2007 were 6% less than the previous week, but 11% more than a year ago. The total production year to date, of dried eggs processed was 9% less than last year.

Wholesale selling prices, dollars per lb., in cont., Trucklot and LTL volumes.

WHOLE	3.80-4.30	MOSTLY	3.85-4.00
YOLKS	2.85-3.49	MOSTLY	2.90-3.05
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	4.95-5.25	MOSTLY	5.05-5.15
BLENDS (Whole plus sweetener)	2.70-3.00	MOSTLY	2.75-2.85

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES – WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CNTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR NOV 16, 2007-NOV 22, 2007
CURRENT LOADS 38.75 FUTURE LOADS 62.00 TOTAL LOADS 100.75

CLASS	SE		NE		MW		LOADS	CLASS	SC		NW		SW		LOADS
	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST			ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	
GNR W 1	129.50	142.90	132.50	133.00	--	134.55	44.00	GNR W 1	--	139.86	--	--	--	--	12.00
GL W XL	--	--	142.25	145.72	136.14	--	14.75	GNR W 2	--	135.00	--	--	--	--	.50
GL W LG	--	157.78	--	140.15	131.92	147.69	35.50	GL W J	--	--	--	--	125.00	130.00	.75
GL W MD	--	130.50	123.75	125.38	126.00	126.00	20.25	GL W XL	137.83	144.00	--	--	--	146.28	6.50
GL W SM	--	--	75.50	77.70	--	75.50	3.00	GL W LG	135.25	156.00	--	--	--	144.24	18.00
GL BR XL	--	144.00	--	--	130.00	--	2.50	GL W MD	--	130.25	--	135.00	132.00	135.42	13.25
GL BR LG	--	144.00	--	--	128.00	--	5.25	GL W SM	--	79.75	--	--	--	--	.75
NRBS - 50	--	--	--	106.00	108.00	--	1.75	GL BR XL	--	--	--	--	--	142.00	.50
NRBS - 48	--	--	--	--	--	101.33	15.00	GL BR LG	--	--	--	--	--	140.00	1.25
NRBS - 45	--	--	--	--	--	103.00	2.00								

*Weighted average prices are listed for various classes priced by origin and/or destination for 6 regions. The loads column reflects total loads reported and includes loads with prices to be determined later. NRBS categories represent net weight-material may or may not be included. Load movement represents total movement within 6 regions

LIGHT TYPE HENS

CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
 WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS
 (INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER
 CHARGES, WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

EASTERN REGION LIGHT LIVE HENS Prices were unchanged when compared to the previous week. Demand was moderate to at least moderate for the barely adequate to adequate offerings of light type hens. Processing schedules were reduced due the Thanksgiving Day holiday. Trade sentiment was generally steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	3-12	5-7

SOUTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HENS Salvage values were TFEWR. Demand was fair for spent hens. Schedules were reduced. Finished sales were fair. Trade sentiment was about steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	TOO FEW TO REPORT	

NORTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HENS Prices were unchanged. Offerings remained barely adequate for the moderate to at times good demand. Trade sentiment steady.

	RANGE	MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST	0-9	0-5

COMBINED REGIONAL

November 23, 2007

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

REGIONS	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM
NORTHEAST	151.50	149.50	133.00
SOUTHEAST	153.50	151.50	133.00
MIDWEST	145.50	143.50	129.50
SOUTH CENTRAL	154.50	152.50	135.50
COMBINED REGIONAL	151.37	149.37	132.88

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET Trading for heavy canners were too few to report; unchanged on lights when compared to the previous week. Supplies of both light and heavy canners were about adequate to adequate for current needs with most available supplies of heavy canners being used internally. Demand was fair to mostly moderate. Processing schedules were reduced due to the Thanksgiving day holiday. The undertone was at least steady.

Cents per Pound, Current Negotiations, Without Freight Cost

LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS) 23-30 MAJORITY 27-28	HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS) TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT
Cents per Pound, Current Negotiations, Freight Cost Included	
LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS) 24-32.5 MAJORITY 30-31	HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS) TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

U.S./Canadian Live Poultry Slaughtered Under Inspection

W/E 17-Nov-07 (PRELIMINARY)

U.S. fowl slaughtered domestically			
	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
	-----Thousands-----		
Head	1,274	1,562	2,836
Last Week	1,052	1,457	2,509
Same week yr ago	1,151	1,715	2,866
To-date/2007	50,859	67,818	118,677
To-date/2006	49,891	68,897	118,788

U.S. fowl slaughtered in Canada			
	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
	-----Thousands-----		
Head	338	0	338
Last Week	248	0	248
Same week yr ago	115	3	118
To-date/2007	11,930	36	11,966
To-date/2006	6,923	49	6,972

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Total U.S. fowl slaughtered in the U.S. and Canada			
	Light Hens	Heavy Hens	Total Hens
	-----Thousands-----		
Head	1,612	1,562	3,174
Last Week	1,300	1,457	2,757
Same week yr ago	1,266	1,718	2,984
To-date/2007	62,789	67,854	130,643
To-date/2006	56,814	68,946	125,760

Source: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis Branch

INSPECTED EGG PRODUCTS-**U.S. & CANADA IMPORT/EXPORT TRADE****U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)**

Week Ending November 10, 2007		Year-To-Date	
Type	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2
Liquid	52	303	3,277
Frozen	0	0	71
Dried	48	20	705
Total	100	323	4,053

U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending November 10, 2007		Year-To-Date	
Type	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2
Liquid	426	445	13,987
Frozen	0	5	282
Dried	0	0	857
Total	426	450	15,126

Inspected Shell Eggs**U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)**

Week Ending November 10, 2007		Year-To-Date	
	2007	2006 /1	2007 /2
Jumbo	0	0	0
Ex Large	1,830	2,010	54,453
Large	4,830	2,396	87,672
Medium	2,580	2,454	57,509
Ungraded	18,894	2,880	184,746
Misc	0	0	7,849
Total	28,134	9,740	392,229

/1 Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s)

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

Source: USDA AMS Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis

WEEKLY COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS - Selected Centers**(Inc. Gov't Stocks) (In Thousands)**

	Frozen Eggs Lbs	Processed Turkeys Lbs	Processed other Poultry Lbs
AM 11/19/07	2,931	40,232	87,981
AM 11/01/07	3,178	76,105	81,947
CHG	-247	-35873	6034
PCT CHG	-8%	-47%	7%

MONTHLY COLD STORAGE REPORT

(In Units of 1,000)

	30-Sep 2006	30-Sep 2007	31-Oct 2006	31-Oct 2007
FROZEN EGGS:				
Whites	2,617	2,743	2,477	3,028
Yolks	1,305	1,296	1,195	1,320
Whole & Mixed	11,826	7,520	8,983	6,679
Unclassified	3,290	6,137	3,607	6,487
Total Frozen Eggs	19,038	17,696	16,262	17,514

Source: USDA/NASS

CHICKENS AND EGGS**October Egg Production up slightly**

U.S. egg production totaled 7.70 billion during October 2007, up slightly from last year. Production included 6.57 billion table eggs, and 1.13 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.06 billion were broiler-type and 67 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during October 2007 averaged 341 million, down 1 percent from last year. October egg production per 100 layers was 2,253 eggs, up 1 percent from October 2006.

All layers in the U.S. on November 1, 2007 totaled 343 million, down 1 percent from last year. The 343 million layers consisted of 284 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 56.2 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 2.87 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on November 1, 2007, averaged 72.6 eggs per 100 layers, up 1 percent from November 1, 2006.

Source: USDA/NASS

COMMERCIAL EGG MOVEMENT (Receipts From Producers)

W/E 17-NOV-2007	Cases	% Change From	
REGIONS	(in Thousands)	LW	LY
North Atlantic	175.8	-1	-3
East North Central	668.1	-1	1
West North Central	300.1	2	0
South Atlantic	188.2	-2	-7
South Central	64.8	10	-2
West	194.4	1	-6
Total	1591.4	0	-2

Matched plants reporting

81 81

Areas Covered:

North Atlantic (ME, VT, MA, RI, CT, NH, NY, PA, NJ, MD, DE)

East North Central (WI, IL, MI, OH, IN)

West North Central (IA, MN, MO, KS, SD)

South Atlantic (SC, NC, VA, GA, FL, KY)

South Central (TN, AL, AR, MS, OK)

West (CA, CO, WA, OR, UT)

MOVEMENT OF EGGS INTO RETAIL CHANNELS

W/E 17-NOV-2007	Selected Consuming Centers		CW	LW	% CHANGE	
			(Cases in Thousands)		LW	LY
Atlanta			34.6	32.7	6	-8
Boston			3.3	3.2	3	-3
Chicago			82.1	83.1	-1	-4
Detroit			12.2	12.2	0	14
Los Angeles			109.1	107.8	1	1
New Orleans			6	5.7	5	18
New York			32.1	27.5	17	8
St. Louis			14.9	14.8	1	-48
San Francisco			14.5	14.1	3	-27
Total			308.8	301.1	3	-6
4 Week Moving Avg.			285.8			

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT Nov 20, 2007

Prices paid per doz. Grade A Brown eggs in cartons delivered store door.

	Ex Large	Large	Med	Small
MAINE	193	189	151	100
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	187-191	182-186	143-147	92-96
MOSTLY	189-190	184-185	145-146	94-95
RHODE ISLAND	182-185	177-180	140-143	96-99
MOSTLY	182	177	140	96
VERMONT	193	189	149-151	-
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-

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